

Maternity Staff Meeting**Date March 20, 2019****Time 06:30****Place Maternity**

MINUTES

Time	Topic	Respondent
	<p>Welcome & Approval of Minutes</p> <p>Standard of Professional Behavior is ongoing == be kind to each other as well as patients</p> <p>Project Deliveries March 199, April 220 and May 231</p> <p>Focus of the Month – we are looking at exactness in all we. L&D had a retained sponge left in a patient.</p> <p>Staffing Update – we still have not hired anyone in our vacant positions. Vicki Pistor will be leaving us soon for warm, sunny Florida! We wish her the very best!</p> <p>Certification news – Happy Certification Day to all who have a certification.</p> <p>We have been granted an opportunity to seek out a certification program. Sarah Stempien will be helping in getting a sign up sheet. We will then start the planning.</p> <p>The STABLE program will be coming back again! More to come.</p> <p>Nurse Day will be on May 1st. Please take a moment to nominate a peer, physician or partner in care.</p>	<p>CHAIR</p>
	<p>Magnet News</p> <p>Redesignation will be in 2020</p> <p>Healing Environment – Update on initiatives Quiet Time</p> <p>Postpartum Depression Education and Survey-</p> <p>From K. Maroni RN and N. Riehm RN official education started 3/1/19. 4/1/19 will go live with the actual PPD screening. The story is being written for Magnet! We have met with social work for resources for patients that score with a concern.</p>	
	<p>Operational Updates</p> <p>Retreat set for April 9 from 2:30 to 7:30 pm. Second retreat the first one was very successful. The sign up sheet will be posted by where Pam/Edna etc. sit.</p> <p>Financial Update hospital wide and department wide. February was a month of decline in admissions. We have</p>	

	<p>been staffing to census which we will need to do. Anyone that would like to see our staffing grid, please let us know.</p>	
	<p>Old Business</p> <p>Certificates/Degrees there is a sheet posted in the break room for all RNs to update your certification/degrees. This information is needed for the magnet as well as Nurse's Day (more information to follow).</p> <p>Linen Usage for our department please remember do not throw out ANY linen no matter what it looks like. Rather, place it in the net bag on the linen cart. Do not overload the cribs and provide extra linen to patients.</p> <p>Narcotics in AVS and prescriptions pulled from pyxis. All prescription pulls are recorded by pharmacy. If a MD is looking for a script to write a note for a patient, please direct them to the secretary's desk where there is GH letterhead.</p> <p>White Board Updates we have been given the financial go ahead! We will have an updated meeting this week and give final design to the manufacturer.</p> <p>2019 Competencies please sign up for mandatory RN competencies. Sign up at nurses' station.</p> <p>Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act (CAPTA) notification process by health care providers of health care workers to report. At the time of birth, event hospitals are required to submit a notification when an infant is born substance exposed, a newborn experiences withdraw symptoms, an infant is diagnosed with Fetal Alcohol Syndrome. If there are suspicions of abuse and neglect at the time of the birth event hospitals will use an online portal to submit a DCF report. More information to follow.</p> <p>NEW BUSINESS</p> <p>Maggie Debona, RN, Clinical Resource Nurse presents the update for EPIC that will be live April 14th.</p>	<p>ALL</p>
	<p>Thank you to all who attended the Active Shooting Inservice by Mark Larobina. It was very well received and informative. We are planning on having another one held on pediatrics in the near future. All are invited.</p>	
	<p style="text-align: center;">Service Awards will be held on Wednesday, May 22nd. Invites to go out shortly.</p>	
	<p>March of Dimes Team Walk May 5th Fairfield Lynne Reynolds is the captain.</p> <p>Sign up for Mandatory Competencies</p>	

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MATERNITY STAFF MEETING

3/20/19

Name/Credentials	Signature	Department	Title
Sabrina Nazzari	[Signature]	Maternity	NRA
Alison Forcics	[Signature]	Maternity	BUSINESS ASSOCIATE
Alyson Stampler	[Signature]	Nursery	RN
Michelle DeFrank	[Signature]	Maternity	RN
Debra Komarick	[Signature]	Maternity	RN
Stephanie Sequeira	[Signature]	Maternity	RN
Amya Slobod	[Signature]	Maternity	RN
Tom Bruscia	[Signature]	Maternity	RN
SARAH STEPHEN RN BSN	[Signature]	Maternity	RN
Katie Dutton	[Signature]	Maternity	RN
Moussie O'Leary	[Signature]	Maternity	RN
Theresa Kamen	[Signature]	Maternity	RN
Perreca Pearson	[Signature]	Maternity	RN
Phyllis Thayer	[Signature]	Maternity	RN
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Kathryn Henry	[Signature]	Maternity	RN
Kathleen Sullivan	[Signature]	Maternity	RN
Kathleen Scallon	[Signature]	Maternity	RN
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Yale New Haven Health

Department of Women & Children's Services

GH- Postpartum Depression Screening

Standard Operating Procedure

Original: 04/19

Last Reviewed: N/A

Approved by: Anna Cerra SR VP Patient Care SVCS/CNO

Purpose:

To outline steps to complete screening for postpartum depression for new mothers prior to discharge from the Maternity unit. Positive results obtained from screening that indicate risk for development for postpartum depression are reported to the social worker and provider. The social worker and provider identify referrals and resources for the new mother prior to discharge.

Standard Operating Procedure:

1. On the evening prior to discharge date, bring paper copy of Edinburgh Postpartum Depression Screening (EPDS) form to mother.
2. Provide explanation for reasons to complete EPDS form.
3. Provide instructions to complete the form, encouraging honest self reporting of feelings.
4. Collect the EPDS form from the mother when complete.
5. Calculate the total score for the responses.
6. Inform the mother of the results of the EPDS, provide explanation of score.
7. For all mothers, educate about local resources: Greenwich Hospital Newborn Mother's group, Postpartum Support International (PSI) 1-800 944-4773
8. For scores greater than 10, discuss plan with mother for notification of provider and consult to social worker.
9. Notify charge nurse, provider and social worker for EPDS score of > 10.
10. Document in plan of care notes, the score of the EPDS and interventions completed.
11. Make one hard copy of mother's EPDS form. Give copy to patient for self reference. Instruct mother to complete the screening again in next 2-4 weeks after discharge. If score is greater than 10, or if mother is experiencing feelings of depression or concern, instruct mother to contact provider.
12. Place original hard copy in patient chart for scanning into electronic medical record.